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THE EASTERN STATES.

Only Thirty-three Votes for Conkling on Joint Ballot.

ADMINISTRATION MEN QUARREL AMONG THEMSELVES.

The Competitive Appointment System to the New York Custom House opposed by the Chamber of Commerce—Business Statistics for May, Etc., Etc.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.

ALBANY, June 2.—From the Capitol [illegible] Jay [illegible] Wheeler [illegible] Bennett, Bogart, Brown, Cantine, Cassidy, Cochran, Comstock, Conkling, Cornwell, Crowley, Dunham, Erwin, Fassett, Fenton, Folger, Gilbert, Hakes, Hammond, Harris, Hawley, Hedges, Hitchcock, Howard, Humphrey, Ingalls, Jacobs, Jenkins, Johnson, Kernan, Kilmer, Lamport, Lansing, Laughlin, Lawrence, Lincoln, Lyon, Mackin, Marvin, McDonald, McElroy, McGinnis, McLaughlin, Miller, Morgan, Murphy, Nelson, Nichols, Norton, Ostrander, Parker, Pierce, Platt, Pomeroy, Prescott, Rathbone, Reynolds, Robertson, Rogers, Rowley, Sage, Sanford, Schoonmaker, Seaman, Sessions, Sheldon, Smith, Spencer, Stevens, Stewart, Sullivan, Tabor, Thompson, Tremaine, Underhill, Van Cott, Van Schaick, Van Voorhis, Veeder, Wagner, Wait, Wales, Wemple, Wheeler, Wilcox, Wilkinson, Williams, Woodin, Woodward, Worden, Wright, Young, Zabriskie, Zoller, Mr. Speaker—96.

Second Ballot.

On the second ballot changes from Conkling to [illegible] Wheeler, Hawley, Howard, Pierce, Platt, Prescott, Rathbone, Seaman, Sessions, Sheldon, Spencer, Stevens, Stewart, Sullivan, Tabor, Thompson, Tremaine, Underhill, Van Cott, Van Schaick, Van Voorhis, Veeder, Wagner, Wait, Wales, Wemple, Wheeler, Wilcox, Wilkinson, Williams, Woodin, Woodward, Worden, Wright, Young, Zabriskie, Zoller, Mr. Speaker—33.

Following is the vote to fill the Platt vacancy: Ayes—Bennett, Bogart, Brown, Cantine, Cassidy, Cochran, Comstock, Conkling, Cornwell, Crowley, Dunham, Erwin, Fassett, Folger, Gilbert, Hakes, Hammond, Harris, Hedges, Hitchcock, Howard, Humphrey, Ingalls, Jacobs, Jenkins, Johnson, Kernan, Kilmer, Lamport, Lansing, Laughlin, Lawrence, Lincoln, Lyon, Mackin, Marvin, McDonald, McElroy, McGinnis, McLaughlin, Miller, Morgan, Murphy, Nelson, Nichols, Norton, Ostrander, Parker, Pierce, Pomeroy, Prescott, Rathbone, Reynolds, Robertson, Rogers, Rowley, Sage, Sanford, Schoonmaker, Seaman, Sessions, Sheldon, Smith, Spencer, Stevens, Stewart, Sullivan, Tabor, Thompson, Tremaine, Underhill, Van Cott, Van Schaick, Van Voorhis, Veeder, Wagner, Wait, Wales, Wemple, Wheeler, Wilcox, Wilkinson, Williams, Woodin, Woodward, Worden, Wright, Young, Zabriskie, Zoller, Mr. Speaker—96.

Nays—Rogers, Rowley, Sage, Sanford, Schoonmaker, Seaman, Sessions, Sheldon, Smith, Spencer, Stevens, Stewart, Sullivan, Tabor, Thompson, Tremaine, Underhill, Van Cott, Van Schaick, Van Voorhis, Veeder, Wagner, Wait, Wales, Wemple, Wheeler, Wilcox, Wilkinson, Williams, Woodin, Woodward, Worden, Wright, Young, Zabriskie, Zoller, Mr. Speaker—33.

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DEFECTS IN THE JURY SYSTEM.

This is not altogether a novel subject. New discussions, indeed, are more trite; and yet to every community the imperfections of the jury system are likely to make the subject at any time a fresh one. To envision of the jury law a hopeless project. Many, indeed, must seem to think so; yet there are few who would not look upon a practicable effort to reform it as a public boon. The defects of the system are grave and innumerable. Important criminal trials are usually long and always expensive to the state. It often happens that they are continued through many weeks, and not unfrequently mock the pace by before the end is reached. It would be remarkable if the twelve jurors, promiscuously taken from the people, should always escape death, sickness and other causes of incapacity, and continue intact as a body during these protracted periods. It would be still more extraordinary if they should uniformly agree in their verdict. Yet, unless this improbable result is reached and a unanimous verdict is returned by the twelve men who first entered the jury box, the trial is a failure, the time and money spent on it are thrown away, and the accused is left to suffer the Law's unnecessary delay in spite of the constitutional guarantee which entitles him to a speedy trial. This feature of the administration of justice, which is a relic of an age when the law was in a crude state, has been suffered to remain without change, in England and the United States, for at least four centuries, notwithstanding the objections that have been forcibly shown by publicists, and its mischievous results amply illustrated by experience.

Readers of that admirable book, "Green's History of the English People," will find a clear statement of the origin of the jury system, in the account of the reign of Henry the Second. The fabric of English judicial legislation, of which we are full heirs, commences in the year 1166, with the assize of Clarendon. In the provisions of this assize for repression of crime we find the origin of the trial by jury, so often attributed to earlier times. Twelve lawful men of each hundred, with four men from each township, were sworn to present those who were known or reputed as criminals within their district for trial by ordeal. The jurors were thus not merely witnesses, but sworn to act as judges also in determining the value of the charge; and it is this double character of Henry's jurors that has descended to our "grand jury," who still remain charged with the duty of presenting criminals for trial after examination of the witnesses against them. Two later steps brought the jury to its modern condition. Under Edward the First witnesses acquainted with the particular fact in question were added in each case to the general jury, and by separation of these two classes of jurors at a later time the latter simply became "witnesses" without any judicial power, while the first ceased to be witnesses at all, and became our modern jurors, who are only judges of the testimony given.

It is not too strong an expression to say that the jury system which now exists in England and in this country is an anomaly in modern law. Other branches of jurisprudence have grown and developed with time, have kept pace with the march of civilization, have been shaped to meet the altered conditions and sentiments of society, and have been improved by the light of experience. But the jury of to-day is an institution so ancient that till recently writers have not been able to agree as to its origin; and in its main features it is still the same as it was in the days of the early Tudors. In the number of jurors, the mode of their selection, the necessity of a unanimous verdict by the twelve originally impaneled, and in other respects, it has been for centuries the same crude, unwieldy, unscientific institution for dealing with all criminal wrongs without distinction as to their degree or nature. Whether the accused is charged with a petty offense or the blackest crime known to the law, whether the determination of the question of guilt or innocence requires the highest degree of intelligence and special qualifications, or merely the intellectual acquirements of the "average juror," are distinctions of which the system takes no cognizance. It is not strange then that the necessity of radical changes has at various times been urged by high authorities, and some writers have even gone so far as to favor the abolition of this system. Of course, the latter is a reckless view which deserves no countenance. But it is the part of wisdom to consider whether the system may not be greatly improved by such a modification as will retain its advantages and eliminate its defects. It may be that the nineteenth century is not wise enough to amend what the twelfth created. But in support of this conclusion more satisfactory reasons are needed than rhetorical allusions to "the palladium of our liberties" and the veneration due to an institution which has gone unchanged through centuries.

The lack of provision for meeting the case of a lost or disabled juror without sacrificing what has been gained through a long trial has often been illustrated. A more serious defect is shown by the numerous cases in which a second, and even sometimes a third trial is made necessary by the disagreement of the jury. The origin of the principle of a unanimous verdict, which Hallam pronounces "a preposterous relic of barbarism," is left chiefly to conjecture. It is supposed not to have been introduced by a deliberate act of the legislature, but to have been a part of an early practice, of which we have inherited the disadvantages without the advantages. This feature of the jury system has also remained "in all of its integrity" for ages. It is true that the practice of convincing obstinate jurors by a mild course of physical torture has grown somewhat obsolete, and that we no longer make provision for transporting them in open carts from town to town visited by the court until they agree upon a verdict. Nor do we treat the doubting ones with a lenten season, without "meat, drink, or fire, candle-light excepted," until they shall be brought to a conscientious observance of their oaths. But we still give them days and nights of seclusion from the rest of the world, in order that they may better lead their consciences up to a harmonious verdict. The fact that this requirement of unanimity is peculiar to the jury verdicts, and that it is not applied to the decisions of legislative, judicial and popular bodies has not escaped notice or comment, and it has been asserted that the strongest reasons should be shown for an exception so anomalous. Unanimous verdicts in criminal cases are not required in Scotland or on the continent of Europe. The principle has been condemned by Bentham, Locke, Lieber, and other publicists and jurists. Some years ago its abolition was recommended in a report to parliament, but without success. Arguments have been urged with much force that agreement of two-thirds should be sufficient for a verdict in all civil and criminal trials, except capital cases, in which three-fourths must agree. Although the prevalent system is defended by every able jurist, the question is gaining ground that the principle of unanimity is not the true one, and that the results it seeks is made the better.

President Grant's first message has been the attempt to use the above for the purpose of "harmony" among party leaders. There, he has mentioned specially the Cabinet, "some would term it bossism." Here, Mr. Nordhoff is put in its judgment that the way to break down this system of bullying and corruption is to administer the offices on the principle that the adherents of the system must abhor. To administer them in the old way, only changing the controlling interest to new hands, is to perpetuate the view of the public service which breeds frightings, and which, so long as it is allowed to open, will make men of Conkling's peculiar talents seem so respectable as powerful that they will never be completely overthrown or brought to naught. This many in a party, the president ought to remember, is a harmony of opinion and feeling about the ends of government, among the voters. It is not and can not be the satisfaction of a few thousand money men with the salaries of small offices, because that is unattainable. So many men never have enough money and there are not offices enough in the world to satisfy the needy men of the state of New York. Harmony, though that channel is in politics what the squaring of the circle is in mathematics.

The record of railroad construction for a year past, as summarized by the New York *Commercial Bulletin*, shows an enormous increase over all. A greater number of miles of track were laid in any previous year, even during 1871, when 7670 miles of track were laid. For the year ending April 1, 1871, there were constructed 6,807 miles of track on 13 lines, varying in length from 25 to 450 miles and averaging 11 miles each. There were projected 11,277 miles of line on 186 roads, varying from 5 miles to 700 miles, and averaging 61 miles each. The total constructed and projected line on 220 roads was 20,398 miles. There were 81 miles of line in 1830 in the whole country; there are now approximately 92,300 miles. Thirty-seven projected roads are capitalized at $65,675,000 for a total proposed mileage of 3896, or an average basis of a total stock in the amount of $17,020 per mile. The indications are that the construction for the next year will exceed that for 1871. Materials are much cheaper now than during the years of the greatest expansion, and few of the roads have had to use any foreign capital. Iron rails are worth $46, as against $69 62 in 1865 and $85 in 1872, and steel rails are worth $60, against $158 in 1868 and $112 in 1872.

The arrangement which the secretary of the treasury has just completed for redemption of the interest on a large part of the national debt—whether we consider the magnitude of the sum or the extraordinary nature of the transaction—is without a precedent in this or perhaps any other, country. Congress adjourned without making provision for refunding the maturing debt, amounting in round figures to $700,000,000. Of this sum $500,000,000, bearing 6 per cent. interest, fell due on the 1st May, and $400,000,000, bearing 5 per cent., will fall due on the 1st July. The secretary has fully concluded an arrangement under which these 5 and 6 per cent. bonds are all to be taken up, or rather an arrangement under which the interest on them at the old rate shall cease as they mature and the rate of 3½ per cent. be accepted instead; and the bonds are moreover to be returned to the treasury that this contract may be stamped on their face. The annual interest thus saved to the government will amount to $23,500,000. The abundance of money, and the low rate at which it may be had for good security, are exemplified in a remarkable way by this transaction.

A letter from Salem tells us that there is work which has reached a correspondent of THE OREGONIAN that warrants are being drawn for construction of the capitol in excess of the appropriation, is unfounded. The expenditures, it is said, will be kept strictly within the appropriation.

That work on the Northern Pacific railroad is being pushed as rapidly as possible is evidenced by the fact that there are now in the field on the waters of the upper Missouri and the upper Columbia no less than fourteen surveying parties, all actively engaged.

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OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF ANDREW JACKSON, a native of Ireland, who left Portland, Or., in 1867, and was last heard from in Virginia City, Nevada. Any information will be thankfully received by his brother, JOHN JACKSON, Portland, Or. jn2-2

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TWO LARGE ROOMS TO LET, FURNISHED, WITH BOARD, at 72 First street, between Pine and Ash. jn2dtf

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GENTLEMEN'S DANCING CLASS.

MR. A. GALLAWAY WILL OPEN A CLASS FOR Gentlemen's Dancing, at Turner Hall, on Thursday, June 8th, at 8 P. M. jn2-2

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY THAT THE FIRM OF [illegible] has been dissolved by mutual consent. C. F. Belcher retires from the firm, and is not authorized to collect any accounts due the late firm, or to contract any debts in the name of the firm. The business will be continued at the old stand by the undersigned, who will assume all liabilities and collect all outstanding accounts. C. F. BELCHER,
J. H. MISENER.

Dated at Portland, May 23d, 1871. my31

SEALED TENDERS

WILL BE RECEIVED UNTIL THE FIRST OF July next, by the undersigned at the Custom House, at Port Portland, Oregon, and specifications may be had at Mr. Chapin Mather's Office, corner of Front and Main streets. The lowest or any of the bidders not necessarily accepted. Bonds will be required for the due performance of the work.

P. DUNN,
J. C. MALONE,
J. CAIN,
Port Wardens.

Portland, June 1, 1871. jn2dtf

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between the undersigned, under the firm name of H. Finke & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. H. Brommer assumes all the liabilities of the late firm, and is authorized to collect all outstanding debts. All persons indebted to the late firm will please call and settle the same without delay.

H. BROMMER,
A. FINKE.

Portland, May 15, 1871. my16

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between A. Finkelstein and H. Braun, carrying on business as Finkelstein & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. H. Braun assumes all the liabilities of the late firm, and is authorized to collect all outstanding debts. All persons indebted to the late firm will please call and settle the same without delay.

A. FINKELSTEIN,
H. BRAUN.

San Francisco, May 15th, 1871. my16

CERTIFICATE OF COPARTNERSHIP. WE hereby certify that we entered into a partnership for the transaction of business in Portland, Or., the principal place of business in San Francisco, California, on the 1st day of May, 1871, under the firm name of A. FINKELSTEIN & Co.

The full names of the respective parties who are subscribers to said partnership are signed thereto.

San Francisco, May 15th, 1871.

ALEXANDER FINKELSTEIN, [seal]
of San Francisco, California.
CASSA CLEMENTINE FINKELSTEIN, [seal]
of San Francisco, California.
RUDOLPH FINKELSTEIN, [seal]
of San Francisco, California.

Endorsed: Filed May 22, 1871. Whitney, County Clerk of San Francisco, Cal. jn1-2

NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FILLING AND grading a portion of the low ground on the west side of Front street, between Market and Clay streets, will be received at the office of the undersigned, on Thursday, June 1st, at 12 M. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned on and after May 26th. The company reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

H. THIELSEN,
Chief Engineer and Supt.

Portland, May 22, 1871. my23dtf

MEETING NOTICES.

ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

Oregon Railway and Navigation Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANnual meeting of the Stockholders of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company will be held at the office of the Company in Portland, Oregon, on Monday, June 26, 1871, at 10 o'clock A. M.

THEODORE WYGANT, Secretary.

Portland, May 24th, 1871. my25 td

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANnual meeting of the Stockholders of the Mechanics' Improvement Company will be held at the office of the company at Bull Run, Multnomah county, Oregon, on Tuesday, June 6th, 1871, at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

E. D. TYNDALE, Secretary.

Portland, Oregon, May 24, 1871. my25td

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Salem, Oregon. mh31dtf

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LOST.

A SMALL SIZED GOLD WATCH, WITH CHAIN and Seal attached, between the Ferry Landing and Front street, on Wednesday, May 24th, 1871. A liberal reward will be given for its return to this office. my25dtf

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Our Retail Business!

OUR RETAIL STOCK TO BE SOLD WITHIN 30 DAYS.

As after July 1st we shall pay our attention exclusively to the Wholesale Trade in

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We shall offer until that date our entire retail stock at a great sacrifice in prices.

EVERYTHING IN OUR DRESS GOODS STOCK.
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EVERYTHING IN OUR WHITE GOODS STOCK.
EVERYTHING IN OUR RETAIL HOSIERY STOCK.
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EVERYTHING IN OUR RETAIL STOCK OF

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For This Week.

100 dozen Rogers Bros. Table Knives	$2 00 per set
100 dozen Rogers Bros. Table Spoons	3 00 per set
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100 dozen Rogers Bros. Tea Spoons	1 50 per set
100 dozen Ivory Napkin Rings	75 per set
1000 CROQUET SETS	1 00 each
1000 CROQUET SETS, hard maple	2 00 each
500 Japanese Trays, from	10 up
1000 Japanese Fans, from	10 up
350 Bread Boats	50 each
500 Embroidered School Bags	50 each
75 Base Balls	10 up
500 Plated Butter Dishes	1 00 each
200 Plated Pickle Casters	1 00 each

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The Northwestern District Agricultural Association

MONDAY, JULY 4, 1871.

First Day.

Second Day, July 5.

Third Day, July 6.

Fourth Day, July 7.

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...First Day.
...Horse, First horse, ...
...Horse, $75.....$150
...ds; third horse, $40; ...
...race; free for all horses.....$600
...Day, July 5.
...ning for a purse open ...
...ds; first horse of 4 previous ...
...horse $125; second, $75; third ...
...fourth, $50 and ten ...
...race; free for all horses.....$300
...2:250 class; open to all ...
...in Oregon, Idaho and ...
...First horse, $240; sec- ...
...horses, $80.....$400
...300 class; open to the ...
...$300; second horse, $120; ...
...$500
...Day, July 6th.
...race for gentlemen's road ...
...ns, to be driven by their ...
...gentlemen who have never ...
...ntry. First horse, $150; ...
...race for 2:35 class, free to ...
...Oregon, Idaho and Wash- ...
...First horse, $250; second ...
...horse $50.....$300
...race for all ages, dash; ...
...mile; first horse $225, second ...
...horse $75.....$300
...Day, July 7.
...race, free for all horses ...
...First horse $450, second ...
...horse $75.....$525
...race for all ages, 2½ miles; ...
...first horse $225, second third ...
...$225
...run purse for all horses ...
...or record money during ...
...ce of 3 miles; first horse ...
..., and third horse $30.....$400
...$2700
...ot on all the above trotting ...
...day, June 30, 1881, at 7 P. M., ...
...which must accompany the ...
...Entrance money on running races ...
...must be paid to the secretary, ...
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The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 3, 1881.

TO LONG.

Wait to begin! A smiling racehorse
Can run before it's bridled, you see,
Never at time found it yet.

Wait a while! A sweeping schooner
Can't sail well sitting ashore,
Long sea-sail, it needs beneath it
Wave sunk and seen no more.

Wait a while! A selfish baby
Will its stepdame, and lights out of home
Dreams can all, does evens nothing.
Also small grapples what he gains.

Thomas Ingelow.

INVITED TO BREAKFAST.

[Chambers's Journal.]

"Walk out to my house and have breakfast with me some morning." Such was the invitation given me one day by Mr. Robertson, a genial middle-aged solicitor to whom I was articled in the thriving town of Abbey—.

Now, I had only been articled for a few weeks, and what I had seen of Mr. Robertson in business made me wish to know him and his in their private life; hence I was much delighted to have this opportunity of gratifying my wish. A few days afterwards, wake I up and finding a glorious summer sun streaming into my room, I speedily decided that this was just the kind of morning on which I should accept the invitation to be akfast at Abbey Grove, and in a few minutes I was on my way thither.

Abbey Grove was situated about two miles from the town, and consisted of a small cluster of old-fashioned built in a prettily situated spot, which generations ago had formed part of the grounds of an old abbey. The only remains of this old ancient building, however, were a few yards of crumbling wall, with here and there vestiges of what at one time had been grass-bordered walks, these, with numerous mounds of stone and masonry, were all that was now left to tell of what had been there centuries ago. Most of these mounds were now covered with grass and shrubs and trees, and thus formed a delightful secluded retreat, which the inhabitants of the Abbey Grove village enjoyed in common.

The invigorating charms of an early walk on a summer's morning need no description. The pure air, the genial sun, the twittering birds, the sparkling dew and soft low breeze, all tend to exhilarate one's spirits, and to make the day pleasanter and happier throughout. All these experiences were mine on the day I write of. As I approached Abbey Grove and saw the fishes peeping from out the surrounding trees, I commenced wondering as to what kind of a residence would be occupied by Mr. Robertson, how it would be furnished, what kind of people his wife and family would be like, and the hundred things that you speculate upon when going to visit a house for the first time. Last, but by no means least, as my walk continued I wondered what kind of a breakfast there would be to appease the appetite stimulated by the morning breeze.

I walked down a short avenue leading to the house, and then began to wonder which of the half dozen villas I was bound for. This small community dispensed with numbers to their houses, nor did they even distinguish them by the ambitious and ridiculous names which one see stuck up on most suburban residences. No; nothing savoring so of the town for this group of country residences; they all called their several houses by the common name of Abbey Grove, and the stranger had to take his chances of having to go to each of them in turn, before he found the particular one he sought. Fortune favored me, by sending across my path a traveling directory in the shape of a milkman, and in response to my inquiry as to which house was Mr Robertson's I received the straightforward reply, "This 'ere on as I've just come from, sir." Walking up a path I found the door invitingly open and the housemaid putting the finishing touches on the bell handle.

"Master is not down yet, sir," she replied to my inquiry as to whether he was at home, which, considering the time of day, really appeared an absurd question to ask the girl; but we get accustomed to use set-words pell-mell under some circumstances.

"Oh, then, I will come in and wait," I replied.

"What name shall I say, sir?" asked the girl.

"Just tell him Mr. Brookes has called, and he will understand."

So saying the girl showed me into a snug little breakfast-room, where the sunbeams and the fresh morning air seemed to be vieing with each other as to which should hold possession of the room; with such friendly rivalry were they streaming through two open French windows, which opened upon a tastefully arranged lawn and flower-beds outside. While noticing these things, the housemaid had gone up stairs to announce me; when something like the following dialogue ensued. "Please, ma'am Mr Brookes is down stairs."

Mr. Brookes! Who is he?" was the response in a mystified female voice.

"I don't know, ma'am," the maid replied, "I never seen him here before." But he's a young gentleman, and says he'll wait till master comes down."

"Whoever can he be, and what can he want bothering here, at this time of day?" continued the muffled voice; and thereupon the door was shut.

Now, this was not exactly pleasant to me, but when I reflected that most probably Mrs. Robertson would be unacquainted with her husband's invitation to me I thought it best not to be offended; so I commenced examining the pictures on the walls. They were not very interesting, and I soon concluded my inspection, and looked round for something else to occupy the moments, which began to hang rather heavily. The newspaper of the previous day was upon a small table by the window, so I took that up, just to pass away the time, and I was soon listlessly perusing the advertisements. I had not been sitting thus above a minute or two when I heard a slight rustling, as of a lady's dress; simultaneously came three or four light footsteps through the window into the room, and before I could look up from my paper, or rise from my seat, a musical voice accosted me with "Good morning, uncle; here is your button hole."

I started up in no little surprise at this greeting, which was evidently not intended for me; and there stood before me a fairy-like maiden of some sixteen summers, her brown hair falling loosely from a daintily-shaped head, her cheeks aglow with the healthy morning air she had been enjoying, and deepened, too, by a rosy blush, when she discovered her greeting had been unwittingly addressed to a stranger. She was standing before me holding the knot of flowers destined for her uncle's button hole—how I envied her uncle!—a very picture of health and life and happiness and beauty. Her expression of unrestrained enjoyment had changed in a moment to one of embarrassment and dismay, mingled with a gleam of amusement in her bright eyes as the humor of the awkward situation we were in broke upon her. An instantaneous mutual agreement seemed to flash between us. We both broke into a merry little laugh; and I often wondered what would have happened if we had not adopted this course, if, for instance, the young lady had passed on with a dignified coldness, and simple apologies and bows had passed between us! Our sudden introduction was, however, not destined to have this sudden ending. In a few moments we were chatting away like old friends. I fancied my fairy seemed to be actually pleased when I announced that I was going to stay for breakfast; and I had almost summoned up courage to ask her to present me in reality with the flowers she had undesignedly offered to me, when the entrance of the servant with the completing dishes for the breakfast table served as an excuse for her to leave the room.

She had scarcely gone through the door when I heard again the greeting, "Good morning, uncle," followed this time by an unmistakable sound, which made me long more than ever to be that girl's uncle! The door opened once more, I stepped forward to meet my employer, but suddenly paused, as a tall gentleman entered the room whom I had never seen before in my life.

He stood looking inquiringly at me after a sharp "Good morning." I was too embarrassed to make any response. My first thought was, "He is some visitor," but in a few moments the awful truth dawned across my mind that this was in reality the owner of the house I was in, and by some means or other I had got into the wrong one. The situation was tremendous. I am naturally a cool character, but I was so taken by surprise and chagrin, that I could only utter some confused apology about having been invited to breakfast by Mr. Robertson; that I had been directed to this room by some mistake or misunderstanding; that I humbly implored for my intrusion, and hoped he would pardon it. So speaking I made a frantic dash at my hat on the hall stand, at the door of the room, and I made at the moment of my speaking or speaking again to that charming fairy lady, who in less than five minutes I found I was fearfully in love with!

I said a hurried "good morning," and was trying to make a ghost gate-post to run in as I left the room when, would you believe it? That tall dark man burst out into a loud laugh. I felt ready to sink down. I knew how my simplicity would be magnified at the breakfast table, before I could. I felt my discomfiture and humiliation keenly, but the open merriment at my expense maddened me.

A strange calm succeeded this storm. I was cursed by some words uttered by my tormentor.

"You really must forgive me. I could not refrain from laughing. My name is Robinson. Your friend Mr. Robertson lives in one of the next houses. We frequently get parcels and letters, and often collect some of the strag-

house; but in all experience we have never had so amusing a mistake; really in the days to come

Now this explanation turned down my anger considerably; but the words which followed were like alum to my troubled heart. "Mr. Robertson will have finished breakfast by now. I cannot think of allowing you to go. Do me the favor of remaining here and breakfasting with me." So saying, he took me by the hand and led me into the room again. Of course it did not need much persuasion to make me stay. Two minutes before I had been ready to knock this man down; I now thought him the kindest and most considerate fellow in the world.

It was a delightful breakfast. I found Mr. Robinson and his wife a charming, genial, kind-hearted people. I found their house one of the most comfortable, happy, and kind-hearted than they were; and when, after breakfast, I accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Robinson into their pretty flower-garden I received from her a rose and for my buttonhole, which I kept for some years afterwards. When, saying goodbye, I was perplexed by thinking how I should manage to see her again; it must be contrived somehow, I mentally resolved. Upon returning to town I had no time on explaining "the situation" to my employer, Mr. Robertson, who rallied me good naturedly upon the mistake, and upon what the consequences might be. Next week I was invited to a party at Mr. Robinson's, and each week I went to or him likewise to Mr. Robinson's house again and again before his niece returned to her home.

Four years have passed since that invitation to breakfast was given me, and that "fairy like girl" is now my wife. Their local solicitor, does him get a handsome "crip" upon our wedding day.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—Sterling exchange on London bankers, 60 days, 49⅞@49 15-16; do documentary 49⅞@49 15-16.

Transfers, par.

NEW YORK, June 2. Silver bullion, 1060 fine 1⅛ fine ounce, spot and 112

Sterling exchange prime bankers', long $4 81 short, $4 83⅝; wood commercial, from bankers' buyers' consequences, $4 81 @ —.

U. S. Bonds—Six of '81, 104⅛; 4½s, 115¾, no comp. 4s, 116¾.

LONDON, June 2.—Consols 100 9-16, money, 100 account.

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U. S. Bonds 4s, 120¾.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 2.

There has been no change in wheat quotations for the past week. A very few transactions have occurred on a basis of $1 31½@1 32½, the latter figure failing in the latter part of the week to induce sellers to sell. The market may be quoted as firm at $1 32½ with no business doing.

The absence of any disengaged vessels in port, coupled with no movement of the reserve wheat in the hands of tenants, has produced such a stagnant condition of affairs that it is very hard to fix a certain status for freight rates for the immediate future. All of the ships which we predicted a month ago would arrive in May came to hand, except the Scottish Bard, which is now overdue, and in addition several that were set down for June arrival. Those now in port are having quite a spell of rain here, but there is the usual delay for ships in Astoria waiting for the commencement of salmon to distribute cargo. So far as known all of the ships due for June loading are already chartered, except two or three wooden ships, whose agents appear to be mixed to press them on the market before arrival. Freights to San Francisco are reported to have stiffened after the late depression consequent to the arrival of a number of disengaged, and are now quoted at 90s, U. K., for iron and 75s for wood.

While we advise of wheat to sell it does not seem possible that over 85s, U. K., would be paid for an iron ship here for June loading; but spot rates are now governed more by the condition and tendency of the Liverpool market than any other factor, and a depression there might take 5s or 10s off in advance of 90s without any other apparent reason for it.

The amount of wheat and flour in the country for shipment is computed at about 60,000 tons, and the vessel carriage of this and fully will accommodate the tons, which will leave, as has been generally conceded, about 30,000 tons on hand to be carried into the new crop year.

We hear of California being made for Mexico and South American countries at 75s, U. K., for iron ships, with indications a high point of rates for specials from mid to the setting in of the shadows of the returning by the exporters.

The late rains have been very copious in the Willamette valley and have renewed confidence for a full crop of an average character. That section knows from Eastern Oregon to Goldview, that rain is badly needed there, and neither of these sections will be a short crop in that regard, particularly in the Walla Walla valley.

The California crop in the ground of the best crop ever there, will not exceed three-fifths of last year's average, and it is agreed that enough will be carried into the new crop year as "hold over" wheat to make the surplus as great as last year's total crop, which aggregated twelve hundred thousand tons. They have passed the critical period for destroying winds and dry rains, and are now on the way to harvest and their estimates are probably reliable, at least are generally conceded to be so.

Sales of wood during the past week have been considerable, some 12,000 tons Eastern Oregon, leaving been sold at from 17c to 22c, which is over the to-day's quotations. Receipts are liberal and aggregate for the week from five to 1500 tons. Transactions in valley woods are small as yet, and odd lots of this class have been too light to establish values fairly. We would quote 19@20c as the outside of values for valley wood.

Entered—Br bk Clan Fergus, Wilson, master, from Bristol, with coal.

Steamer Columbia cleared very light cargo from here.

HOME PRODUCE MARKET.

Oats are very firm. The San Francisco market is better in proportion than this market, and holders will go well to ship. Prices are steady in San Francisco with a prospect of going higher before harvest. Stocks of country flour are still very large in this city and sales are only made at liberal concessions. Stocks of hay held over are very large and prices must decline materially before the new crops come in. Personal judgment points to a very large crop this summer. The market is very weak. Bran is very plenty as buyers are purchasing only to meet present wants. Chop for the present is scarce. Shorts is in plentiful supply. The market is well supplied with bacon and sales are slow. Choice well trimmed and well cured shoulders and hams are wanted. Choice Oregon lard is scarce and wanted. Dried fruit seems to be in very liberal supply. We hear of an offer 400 boxes of dried apples, Pitmmer process, at 6c for which no buyers could be found, although the market here was well drummed. Dried pimies are a drug on the market. Hides are steady at quotations. Receipts of country store butter are large and prices will decline before long. Choice Oregon dairy butter is in good demand. Receipts of Oregon cheese during the past week have been liberal and prices much weaker. Californita onions are striving freely and prices are lower. Eggs hold their own at 18c. Chickens are scarce and choice fat hens are wanted. Salmon in half barrels is scarce. Old potatoes are unsalable.

FLOUR—Quotations for round lots: $5 25 for standard, $5 75@6 for mixed country brands.

OATS—Quote $1 35@1 40; feed, $1 21@1 30.

HAY—Baled timothy, $16@18 ₱ ton.

MILL FEED—Quotations: Middlings $20@22; shorts $16; chop feed $18@22; bran $16@17.

CORNED MEAL—Quotations are as follows: Kams, Oregon sugar cured 14@16c; sanburn 13@16; bacon, 12½@16c; shoulders 9@10c.

LARD—Quotations are 12½@13c in kegs, 12½@13 in tins, and 13½@14c in pails.

DRIED APPLES—Sun dried, 7¾@8c; Plummer dried, 9@10c.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 6c; pitless, 11@12½c for sun dried; 13@15c for machine plums.

HIDES—Quotations are 15c for first-class dry; 12c for green; culls, ½ off. Sheep pelts—Prices vary according to the quantity of wool left on skin; quote from 25c@$1.

BUTTER—Fancy 25c; good to choice, 20@22½c; fair, 20c. In bulk, 20@20c; in brine, 27½@30c.

ONIONS—Meadow, 2½@2½c ₱ lb.

EGGS—Quotation 18c.

CHEESE—Cal., 13@14c.

APPLES—Per box, 85@$1.

TIMOTHY SEED—Per lb, 6@7c.

TURKEYS—Per lb, live weight, 14@16c; nominal.

CHICKENS—$3 doz, $4 50@5.

SALMON—Columbia river, ½ bbl, $5@$6 50; ½ bbl, $4 25@5 00; bellies, 3c @6c.

HORS—Oregon, ₱ lb, 12½@13½c.

POTATOES—Sacks, 90c ₱ cwt.

CEMENT—Rosendale, ½ bbl, $2 75; Portland, ₱ bbl, $4 50.

SHINGLES—Per M, $2 25@2 50.

Meats.

BEEF—3½@4c ₱ lb gross.

PORK—6@6½c, net.

MUTTON—3½@4c, gross.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Full Review of the Produce and Merchandise Trade—Specially Reported and Telegraphed to The Oregonian.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—Receipts of four vessels (by telegraph) and several barges, the bulk of which arrived yesterday, chiefly by the steamer Mexico, 2,000 wood will take it an liberal lots of lumber and Port Blakely at reduced rates. Freights are now quoted at $5 50@6 per M. Shingles are also quoted at reduced rates, but are the cargoes of two vessels aggregating 6,000, leaving but a small quantity to come on the market. The English wheat market was reported steady, with moderate weather for forward crops. Supplies and demand are rather light. Best inquiries were quoted and the situation entirely without change. From Spokane reports: A change in new wheat seems to be imminent, as a change by M. Wagner and others, who have been purchasing heavily, was of good quality. Barley is in the country for sale, but no freight offered in quotable ranges.

Shipments to-day bound to an advance for all vessel carriage of grain and fully will aggregate 30,000 tons, which will leave, as has been generally conceded, about 30,000 tons on hand to be carried into the new crop year.

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